



## Human Resources

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REQ. # 05-182U

**NOTICE OF JOB OPENING  
ST. LUCIE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**

2300 Virginia Avenue Fort Pierce, Fl. 34982 – 5652  
Telephone (772) 462-1546 Jobline (772) 462-1967

<http://co.st-lucie.fl.us>

This position must be posted for at least five (5) working days from 08-05-2005 TO 08-11-2005,  
but will remain open until filled.

DEPARTMENT/DIVISION
<b>PARKS &amp; RECREATION - PARKS</b>

POSITION AVAILABLE
<b>MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN I</b>

# OF OPENINGS
<b>2</b>

STARTING SALARY
<b>\$ 9.05 / hour</b>

COMMENTS
<b>Driving Position</b>

VETERANS PREFERENCE
It is the policy of St. Lucie County to give preference to eligible veterans and spouses of veterans in appointment and retention in county employment positions in accordance with Chapter 295, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 22VP-1, Florida Administrative Code. Copies of Chapter 295 and Chapter 22VP-1 are available for review in the Human Resources Department.

**JOB CODE 814P**

**PAY GRADE 7**

**SALARY: \$9.05 - \$13.93**

**MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN I - PARKS**

**MAJOR FUNCTION:** This position requires heavy manual work performing semi-skilled tasks related to ground, ballfield, and landscape maintenance; structural and facility maintenance, and repair work, of County owned property. Employees perform laboring tasks requiring use of hand tools, power tools, cleaning agents, chemicals, and mechanical equipment. Duties may require employee to work rotating or irregular shifts, including weekends.

**TYPICAL TASKS OF POSITION INCLUDE:** Cleaning restrooms, showers, campgrounds, picnic sites, and other facilities; applies various cleaning agents; picks up, hauls garbage and trash; plants, cultivates, waters, sprays plants, trees and flowers; plants and cares for lawns; rakes; performs weed control; fertilizes; mows various types of turf; loads and unloads supplies; lifts and moves heavy objects; cleans and performs preventative maintenance on equipment; performs maintenance on park structures that include painting, minor carpentry, electrical, plumbing, masonry, roofing, and other work.

**KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS NEEDED TO PERFORM THE ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS OF THE POSITION:** General knowledge and experience of the methods, materials, and practices involved in the maintenance of County land and structures within. Ability to perform heavy manual labor, operate various tools and pieces of equipment. To follow oral and written instructions. Ability to maintain an effective working relationship with the public and fellow employees. Performs related work as required.

**ESSENTIAL PHYSICAL SKILLS:** Constant walking, standing, bending, use of both hands and fingers, feet and legs. Very frequent lifting (30 lbs. or less) and frequent heavy lifting (30+lbs.) Good hearing, vision, and good hand/eye coordination.

**ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITION REQUIREMENTS:** Constantly working outside under adverse weather conditions of cold, heat, humidity and rain.

**WORK HAZARDS:** Work with cleaning agents, pesticides, herbicides, fertilizers, tools with sharp edges and power equipment. Work in and around stinging and biting insects.

**SAFETY EQUIPMENT USED OR NEEDED:** Pith helmet, gloves, work boots, uniform, safety glasses, rain gear, chaps, ear protection, and safety harness.

**EDUCATION:** Graduation or its equivalent from high school or trade school.

**EXPERIENCE:** Some experience in performing heavy manual labor.

**LICENSE, CERTIFICATION, OR REGISTRATION:** Requires a valid Florida driver's license and good driving record.

Union ✓	Non-Union	Exempt	Non-Exempt ✓
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